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Attempt to Break Jail Resulted in Death of One Prisoner.

A dog belonging to John May of No Sai Manchester avenue, attacked Wille's pet and the lad ran to separate them. While doing so he was scratched and bitten. His mother took him to the of-Guthrie, Ok., Oct. 20.—In an attempt to treak jail at Chickasha, I. T., yesterday have prisoners were shot, one of them atally. J. F. Ellis, a guard, did the fice of Doctor R. B. Murphy. No. 6025 Manchester avenue, who dressed the iniuries. Willie's pet was so severely bitten that Patrolman O'Connor shot the animal. May refused to have his dog killed.

abouting. Bosworth, the prisoner who evaluated, was a notorious horsethier, and recently received a five-year sentence in the County Jail.

A conspiracy had been formed by the three prisoners to attempt an escape, and the grand had heard of the plan. He consed fire upon them as soon as they, made their break for liberty and Bosworth fell at the first shot.

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BOY IS ATTACKED BY DOGS.

Lad Bitten While Trying to Save

Pet From Harm.

Little Willie Hawkins's anxiety to save his small dog, "Ike," from being chewed up by another dog in the rear of his father's home, No. 1428 Devlin street,

Saturday morning, got the boy into seri-

Arrested for Taking Parse

Asthma Hay Fover

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, Oct. 30.—"The negro ques-tion in my State is more than a matter of social concern," said Mr. Thomas Sulli-van Braxton of North Carolina. "It is an economic question. Labor is so scarce in the central and eastern portions of the State that thousands of dollars loss to the

otton crop will probably result.
"Cotton is rotting in the fields, and the

no longer a necessity for the negro to labor.

"In some sections through which I recently passed some of the largest planters were without help and were in the fields themselves, with members of their families, picking cotton. In these instances it was possible to save only a portion of the crop at best, and much of the crop has proved a total loss. Complaints are heard throughout the State. Always the same cry—the negroes, able to live on a few cents a day, refuse absolutely to work. One large planter of my acquaintance, who formerly employed fifteen hands, now has but one 12-year-old boy on his place of 1000 acres, and cannot secure any more.

"The white people of the State are responsible for this state of affairs. In spite of the clashes which have occurred between the races, the whites have an affectionate regard for the negro. In many instances of which I know personally planters allow several negro families to live on their land, charging no rent. If, however, the planter wishes a man to do a dar's work and goes to one of his non-paying tenants, the tenant invariably has an excuse. He can 'come to-morrow, but there's nothing doing to-day."

Defective Chimney Causes Blase. Fire broke out in the three-story brick building at No. 2398 Lawton avenue yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock, caused by a defective chimney. The building is occupied by Mrs. S. N. Young. The damage was \$5.

Charged With Seven Thefts. Morris Tucker, a negro, 17 years old, and a waiter in the employ of the Park View Catering Company, at the World's Fair, was arrested Saturday by officers from the

was arrested Saturday by officers from the World's Fair Police District on the charge of stealing property from seven different persons, including a waitress who owned several valuable rings, and members of the Second United States Cavairy, now on detail duty at the Exposition. All of the property has been identified and Morris admits taking it, the police say, Miss Clara A. Wittstein, the waitress, is employed by the catering concern. Among the goods stolen are a diamond ring, valued at \$10, a gold ring set with rubles worth \$40 and a plain gold ring valued at \$10. Warrants will be applied for.

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Arrested for Taking Parse.

James Hunter, a negro, living at No.
229 South Market street, was arrested yesterday at his home on the charge of taking a pockethook containing 110, belonging
to James L. Daniel of Mer Rouge, La.,
in the Manufacturers' building at the
World's Fair. Daniel alleged that while
in the building he dropped a pockethook
thing the soney, her thanker linksting
the soney, her thanker linksting morning on account of fire discovered in the two-story brick building at Nq. 1916 Rutger street. The building is owned by E. Hancock. The damage amounted to 275. The cause of the blaze is unknown.

TURKEY CROP LATE; DEALERS ANXIOUS

Wagers Quoted on Broad Street | Thanksgiving Comes Earlier Than Curb Drop From 5 to 1 to 4 to 1. Is Short.

EVEN MONEY ON GOVERNOR. REPORTS FROM MANY STATES.

ARE BEATEN DOWN

Republican Funds Are Scarce and Everywhere There Are Fewer Democratic Offerings Are Uncoverd - Many Bets Fictitious.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL New York, Oct. 20.-In election betting circles on the Broad street curb, brokers were chagrined yesterday by attacks made on the legitimacy of the curb bets, as a result of an exposure concerning the \$12,000 to \$2,000 wager on Roosevelt reported yes-

This, it was announced at Republican headquarters, established the odds favoring Roosevelt on a 6-to-1 basis. Curb brokers who have acted for prominent stock houses disowned the bet, stating that Williamson & Squire had been offered \$5,000 at 1 to 5 on the Democratic candidate, without success. The bet was not made at the close of business on Friday, despite the announcement that \$12,000 had

een wagered at 6 to 1. Odds shortened materially on President Roosevelt. Balances remaining unclosed on Friday at 5 to 1, favoring President Roosevelt. Balances remaining unclosed on Friday at 5 to 1, favoring President Roosevelt. Balances remaining unclosed Roosevelt. Ro

chances.

J. J. Judge offered any part of \$25,000 that Roosevelt does not carry New York State by 50,000 majority. The same broker bet \$5,000 to \$2,000 with George Considine that Roosevelt carries New York State. All large bets made to-day on Herrick and Higgins were at evens.

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T. S. Bratton Declares Planters Are Unable to Induce Negroes to Work Because of Roosevelt's Attitude.

negroes, whose wants are few and who are infinited with an exaggerated idea of their importance, as a result of the administration's attitude toward them and the race problem, decline to work.

"There is an idea among the ignorant negroes—and those of my State are ignorant, indeed—that Roosevelt will be elected and that after that there will be no longer a necessity for the negro to labor.

A still alarm of fire was sent in from Eighteenth and Rutger streets yesterday

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New York, Oct. 30 .- An unusually early Thanksgiving and a late crop of turkeys are beginning to cause some anxiety among Western poultry dealers. Thanksgiving this year falls on November 24, several days earlier than usual. Turkeys being the principal requisite for this holiday, everyone is interested, and only families in very poor circumstances will be with-out their Thanksgiving turkey.

The severe cold winter and the late spring told sorely on the birds carried over for breeding purposes, and, while there was a fair percentage hatched, the weather was still cold and the young birds succumbed to its effects, in some instances as high as 80 to 90 per cent, while few of the Northern sections have over 40 per cent of the hatch. The following will show, as Roosevelt to-day. The feature of the bet-ting was the peucity of Republican funds. condition of the positry crop throughout condition of the poultry crop throughout Legitimate odds on the national result the entire poultry-producing sections of

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paign Made by V. C. Place and C. M. Shannon of New Mexico.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Washington, Oct. 30 .- "Perhaps the largest bet recorded this year," said a Western man yesterday, "was recently made at Silver City, between V. C. Place, general manager of a mining company of Grant County, New Mexico, and Charles M. Shannon, proprietor of a newspaper at

"Mr. Place bet a gold mill recently erect-"Mr. Place bet a gold mill recently erected at a cost of \$40,000 and mines and other property, including a mercantile house, taking the Roosevelt side, against large copper mines and buildings at Clifton, the latter being on the Parker side, "The necessary papers have been made out and placed in escrow, pending the result of the election. The property at Clifton, represented by Shannon, is valued at

son to the election. The property at Carton, represented by Shannon, is valued at \$600,000, the present owners having once refused \$400,000 for it. The property staked on Roosevelt is in flue condition and is producing regularly monthly shipments of gold builtion. This is undoubtedly the largest bet that will be made on the election this remains the remains the state. this year,
"Mr. Shannon held an official position
under Mr. Cleveland when he was President. Shannon won large sums on Cleveland twice and lost on Harrison and McKinley's first election."

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Young Girl Is Missing. Myrtle Schweiger, 17 years old, has been missing from her home at No. 1904 North Taylor avenue, since last Thursday. She

was dressed in a light skirt, pink waist and wore a black hat. She is five feet tall, has light complexion and weighs 120 pounds. It is said the girl was ill at the time she left home, and her relatives think she may be in some hospital. Inquiry at the principal hospitals was fruitless. Oklahoma Good Roads Association

Guthrie, Ok., Oct. 30 .- The following ofcers were elected yesterday by the Twin Territorial Good Roads Association at Oklahoma City: A. C. Titus of Guthrie, president: W. F. Warren of Berwin, I. T. vice president; A. W. McKeand of Oklahoma City, secretary; Eldney Sugas of Ardmore, I. T., organizer. W. H. Moore, president of the National Good Roads Association, of St. Louis, was present and made a fine address.

Tomas Arias Resigns. Panama, Oct. 30.-The resignation yes terday of Tomas Arias, Secretary of State of the Republic of Panama, apparently ends the division of political parties here.
Pablo Arosemena, leader of the opposition, said to the Associated Press:
"Opposition to President Amador's government is impossible now."
It is reported that Santiago Guardia,
Minister to Costa Rica, will replace Arias.

Repairing of Fine Watches And Jewelry a specialty. F. W. Drosten, Seventh and Pine.

Engine Smashed at McClure, III.

McClure, Ill., Oct. 20.—Cotton Belt passenger train No. 32 ran into a car on the main track at Cora City this morning, de-molishing the engine and tearing the end out of the baggage car, but no one was hurt. Traffic was suspended for nine hours.

Will Hold Inquest. An inquest into the sudden death of Miss.

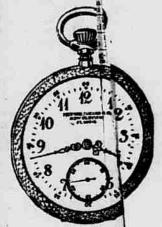
Eva Rothlander, 45 years old, who was found dead in bed by her sister, at No. 1606 Park avenue early yesterday morning. I'll be held at 5 o'clock this morning. I'm. W. H. Morton, who discovered the try stated that her sister had been appeared from heart discars had been

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Veteran Printer Buried in CiOKLAHOMA COTTON ADVANCES vary Cemetery.

veteran printer, took place yesterda fternoon from his late residence, No. 40

mr. Waite died last Friday at the age
of 65 years, after an illness of a week. He
had been employed in The Republic composing-room for the last thirty years. He
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Are Gas Company Employes.

Two burglaries of basements of West End homes lead the police to believe that two men who represent that they are employed by a gas company are systematic-ally working in that section. At the residence of R. Solomon, No. 3851

At the residence of R. Solomon, No. 3851
McPherson avenue, the lock of a trunk in
the basement was forced and silverware
and clothing taken. The stolen property
is valued at \$30.

At the residence of Mrs. Lake Steinberg,
No. 4799 Cook avenue, from a trunk in the
basement, clothing valued at \$100 was
taken. In both cases the men were allowed to go into the basement to attend to
alleged trouble in the gas meters and
pipes.

Free Tickets to World's Fair. Charles J. Byrne, chief sir knight of St. Rose's Council, Knights of Father Mathew, Rose's Council, Enignis of Father Mattew, has notified the members of the council that a ticket to the World's Fair for next Saturday (Irish Day) will be given each member, and will be paid for out of the general fund of the council. The tickets will be given out at the meeting of St. Rose's Council next Wednesday night in St. Rose's Hall, Etsel and Goodfellow avenues.

It never falls to cure diarrhoea. Wake leid's Blackberry Balsam. Druggista.

Asks Police to Locate Husband.

Mrs. Charles Buchanan of No. 4332 Maffitt avenue is looking for her husband,
who disappeared October 27. He was employed as a jeweler by a firm on Sixh
street, which place he left on October 28,
after drawing his salary, she says. He
had previously taken his ciothing from his
residence.

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Held in St. Mathew's Church, Sara Guthrie, Ok., Oct. 32.—Buyers were paystreet and Kennerly avenue, at 2 o'clocks on an average of 33 per hundred for street and Kennerly avenue, at 2 ton in the seed here yesterday, and The burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

The funeral was largely attended, Many in the lint. Prices are going up continually and it now looks as if Oklahoma old-time printers were among those whermers were going to get 3 for the gathered to pay the last tribute to theleater part of their crop. Hundreds of friend. The pailbearers were: Hugdes are being shipped in from the small-grahl, L. L. Sawtell, A. P. Moody, Henry points and the farmers are stringing Bocke, T. B. Wyrick, B. C. Yerkes, Jo the city by wagon loads. Bocke, T. B. Wyrick, B. C. Yerkes, Jo the city by wagon loads. Among the floral offerings was a hand-probably the liveliest cotton center in some one sent by The Republic compos-Territory, from the fact that it is load in the best part of the cotton belt.

rrisburg, Ill., Oct. 30,—Castle Cum-a victim of the mine disaster here ty, died to-day after terrible suffer-Four of the other persons who were d are in a critical condition.

Building Employes to Meet.



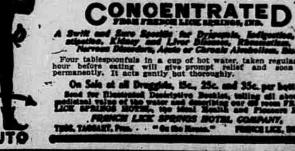
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